

About People
And Things
BY C. B. McDOWELL

Wayward Taylor said this week that he is constructing two new 12,000 capacity broiler houses on his farm on the Lake Coffee road, four miles north-west of Elba. These houses are in addition to one 12,000-capacity and one 2,000-capacity houses which he has been operating for about two years.

Mr. Taylor said that he marketed 2,000 broilers last week and has 12,000 that will be ready for market sometime this week. He said that market conditions have caused him to make a better profit on even a lower market than formerly. He said that formerly he had to get at least 20 cents per pound to just about break even whereas he can now break even on an 18-cent market, and this despite high feed prices.

Mr. Taylor said he received 20 cents a pound for the 9,000 broilers he marketed last week and indications are that this week's market will continue at about that figure. He said when his two new houses are completed he will have a broiling capacity of 45,000. Two men will be employed to take care of the two houses, each having charge of two houses.

Mr. Taylor's vast broiler-raising enterprise brings back recollection of when I raised fryers on what I considered a pretty large scale. I raised 400 chickens one spring. I kept pretty close tab on my operation and this is how it turned out: After buying he day-old chicks, paying for the feed, electricity, insecticides, etc., I furnished our table with all the fryers we wanted and save 40 selected laying pullets to keep.

I sold two-pound fryers at a dollar each without weighing (they would bring about 40 cents now), and after footing the aforesaid costs, I had \$89 profit, not counting anything for labor or investment. I shudder to think of what would happen to me if I attempted to raise 400 2-pound fryers today at 20 cents per pound. Volume broiler-raising under vastly improved methods, including greatly improved feed quality, has made it impossible for the little fellow to compete with the big fellow in the broiler-raising business.

INCREASED POSTAGE RATES

Indications point to drastic increases in postage rates. A Congressional committee has voted overwhelmingly to increase the price of a first class letter postage stamp from three to four cents, air mail from six cents to seven cents. Second and third class rates would also be materially increased. The lowly postal card would remain at two cents.

For many years we could mail first class letters for two cents. When World War II came along we were told that the rate would have to be raised to three cents as an emergency measure, but it would be returned to two cents when the emergency ceased. The emergency has never ceased to exist.

Now it seems that another emergency exists. However, nothing has been mentioned about returning to the lower postage rates at any time. History proves that postage rates go up but never go down.

IMPORTANT DATE

June 30 is an important date for disabled people. Harry N. Scott, Manager of the Dothan district office of the Social Security Administration reminded today Mr. Scott stated that the June 30 date this year has particular significance for an estimated 700,000 disabled workers in this country. These are disabled people who have worked long enough under social security to be eligible to have their rights to future benefits for themselves and their families protected — of this 700,000 about 400,000 people — those between 50 and 65 years of age — are eligible for monthly disability insurance benefits beginning with July 1. Many of those eligible have not yet applied.

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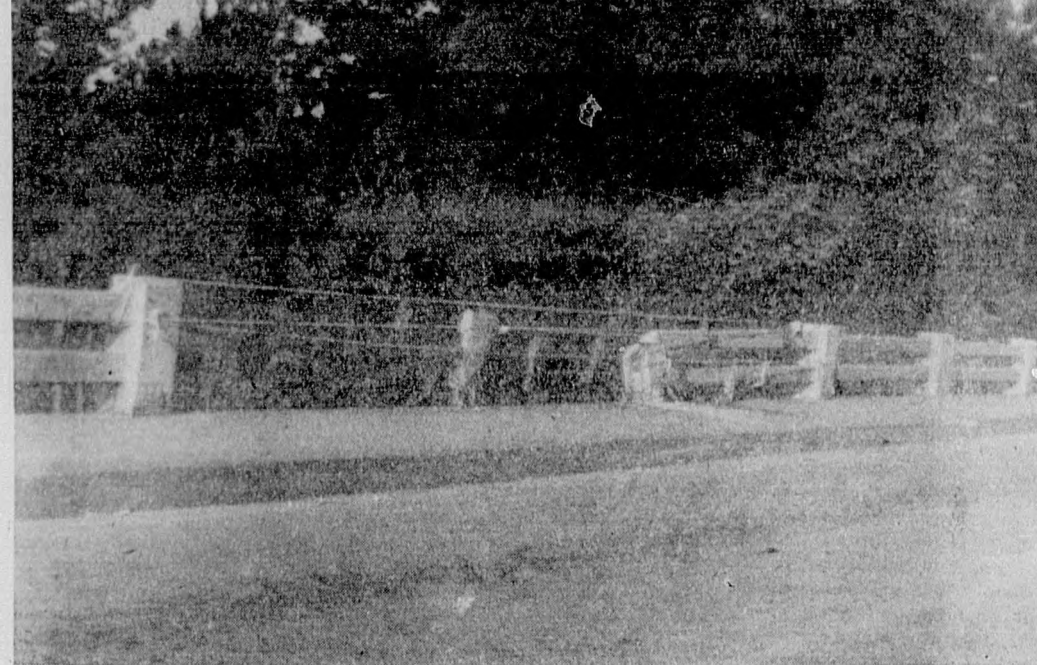
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Crash Scene and Death Car Two College Boys Held Here On Store Breaking Charges



Two broken posts on the Pea River bridge (above) in Elba stood today as ghastly reminders of the death Sunday about 1 a.m. of a soldier when the automobile (right) in which he was riding narrowly missed a plunge into the waters below.

SFC David C. Pressnell, 46, of Fort Rucker, apparently was instantly killed when the automobile, believed to have been driven by PFC William G. Baker, swerved from one side of the bridge to the other and finally knocked over two of the heavy concrete posts.

W. M. Williamson, night chief of police, heard the crash and hurried to the scene. He found Pressnell lying on the sidewalk and Baker staggering around, apparently dazed from the crash. Baker was rushed to the Fort Rucker hospital where his injuries were found not to be serious. He was expected to be released from the hospital today.

Patrolman E. C. Fordham, of the Highway Patrol, investigated along with the city police. He said both men were assigned to the Headquarters Service Co., 360th Engineer Bn. Pressnell was scheduled to retire from the Army in a year.

AUTO OVERTURNS

General D. Stupper, of Rt. 3, Ozark, was taken to Enterprise hospital early Sunday morning after his automobile overturned twice when he failed to make a turn on County Road No. 70 about 12 miles north of Elba. The extent of his injuries has not yet been determined. About \$150 in damages resulted to the car. Patrolman Fordham investigated.

EARLY START ON BRIDGE AND STREET SEEN

An early start on construction of the bridge to open Caroline street to the Elba-Opp Highway appeared imminent at Elba City Council Meeting Monday night.

Council discussed the application already made to the Army engineers for permission to cut the levee where it is proposed to construct the bridge and it was reported that favorable action is expected soon.

Opening this street will help to relieve the traffic bottleneck now existing in the vicinity of the Dorsey Trailers plant as much of the traffic now passing Dorsey would be diverted over the new bridge and along Caroline street.

Mayor Herschel Taylor presided with all councilmen present except J. W. Morrow who was out of the city.

BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNED

The New Hope Baptist Church Bible School will begin Monday, June 10, and will be held daily, Monday through Friday, from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m. Everyone is invited.

Officers Elected At Athens College

ATHENS — N. H. Waters, Birmingham businessman and civic leader, was elected chairman of the Board of Trustees of Athens College at the board's annual spring meeting today. He succeeds P. W. Hendricks, who asked that he not be considered for re-election because of ill health.

Hendricks will remain on the board as a regular trustee, according to the board announcement.

The board also re-elected Dr. Perry B. James as college president, named Dr. Frank Soday, Decatur, Alabama, as vice-chairman of the board and as chairman of the executive committee, and announced firm plans for a three-year expansion program which will include a fundraising goal of \$1,250,000.

DEEP SEA RODEO

MOBILE — Sportsmen throughout the nation on the week-end of July 6-28 will be paying tribute to the only official state fish in the nation — the Silver King Tarpon, Alabama's fighting sport fish.

SACRED HARP SING

The Sacred Harp Memorial Sing will be held at the Harrison Cemetery Sunday, June 9. All are invited by W. D. Wise, chairman, and J. H. Hall, secretary, to come and bring song books.

Lt. Sam Young spent several days last week in the home of his brother Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young in Asheville, N. C.

FARM HOUSES THREATENED BY WOODS FIRE

The Elba Fire Department made a run to the Hubert Stephenson farm, west of the Winham Packing plant, four miles from Elba, Saturday afternoon. A woods fire threatened damage to farm buildings, but the flames were brought under control without much damage.

However, Police Chief "Bow" Dunaway complained that he intended to present a clean-up bill to the city for damage to his trousers when he dashed hither and thither over charred burned-over terrain.

E. T. Brunson Gets Doctor's Degree

Emmett T. Brunson of Samsom will receive a doctor's degree of medicine at Emory University graduation exercises in Atlanta, Ga., June 7.

Dr. Brunson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Emmett T. Brunson of Samsom, is a member of Phi Kappa Phi professional fraternity. He will begin his internship at Jefferson-Hillman Hospital in Birmingham July 1.

Dr. Emmett T. Brunson, Sr., is a native of Coffee County and although he has resided in Samsom during his son's lifetime, he has been long actively identified with Elba business affairs.

MRS. KENDRICK DIES

Mrs. Frances O. Kendrick, 65, highly esteemed resident of Vona, Fla., died last Friday at Enterprise Hospital. She was born and reared in Coffee County but had resided in Noma for a number of years.

GENEVA MAN GETS AWARD OF C. OF C.

The winner of the 1957 Lloyd E. Foster Memorial Scholarship award was announced today by G. J. Neale (Manager, Sylvaqua Chamber of Commerce) who is President of the Chamber of Commerce Executives Association of Alabama.

Based on performance, his proven ability, his decision to remain in the chamber of commerce executive profession, and his other qualifications and characteristics for which the late Lloyd E. Foster is said to have set so outstanding an example, Joe A. McCluney, Manager of the Geneva Chamber of Commerce was chosen to receive the recently created award. There is no other similar award given to members of the chamber of commerce profession in southern states.

ARITON MAN NAMED FOR WESLEY DRIVE

E. C. Easter, Campaigning Chairman for the Auburn Wesley Foundation Building Mr. Paul Hutto of Arton, Alabama, accepted Chairmanship of the Dothan District and has enlisted chairman for the five areas in the Dothan Fund, announced today that District. The areas and chairmen are: Butts, Mr. George E. Little; Troy, Mr. Merlin Bryant; Dothan, Mr. Walter Morris; Andalusia, Dr. E. P. King and Mr. John Hill West, co-chairmen; and Panama City, Dr. A. H. Lisenby and Mr. Raymond Lloyd, co-chairmen.

RETURNS TO COFFEE

Walter Maddox, former Elba postmaster and highly esteemed former resident, made an appreciated call at The Clipper office Tuesday morning. He said that he and Mrs. Maddox are moving from Tuscaloosa, where she has been teaching in the public schools, to Enterprise, where she will teach in the primary department.

Mr. Maddox said that all of his five daughters have now graduated from college.

COFFEE COURT MEETS; ADDS ROAD LANDS

The Coffee County Commissioners Court convened Monday, May 27, at Enterprise with all members present. The following business was transacted:

Court voted to raise salaries of Billie and Stephen DeVane to \$2000 per month, retroactive to May 1, 1957.

Warrants in the amount of \$100,000 offered for sale. Bidders were First National Bank, Thornton, Moore and Parrish, Hugo Marx & Co., Hendrix & Mays. By agreement the purchases were divided among the bidders.

Court voted to condemn lands necessary to improve road running from the Howard Clark place on the Elba-Kinston Highway running in a southeasterly direction by the Marvin Parrish place and continuing to the Geneva County line, owned by Marvin Parrish, Lester Branch and Lane estate.

Commissioner Bowden was given order to have clutch in AC motor repaired.

Order given to pay Bob Polson for work with tractor in District No. 2.

Commissioner Whitman was given order to repair D6 tractor.

Bowden given order to secure trucks and loader to be used on Enterprise - Goodman road bridge.

Court voted to accept bids of Hendrix & Mays, Inc., Bury, Perry & Co., Hugo Marx & Co. for \$160,000 warrants at \$3.25, County to pay expenses.

MRS. NELSON DIES

Funeral services for Mrs. Louise Nelson, 35, of Phenix City, were held Monday at Elba First Baptist Church with the Rev. Ed. Harwell of Andalusia officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include her husband, Coy Nelson; three sons, Lamar, Ted and Jimmy Nelson; two daughters, Peggy and Ann Nelson, all of Phenix City; three brothers, Charlie, Fred and Otto Dowdson, and a sister, Mrs. Arthur Parrish, all of Elba.

HAROLD FULLER DIES

Harold Joseph Fuller, 36, died at his home in Elba Monday morning following a long illness. He was employed as an auto mechanic at the Dorsey Chevrolet plant for several years and was highly regarded as a mechanic as well as a friend by a large number of associates. He was a member of the Woodland Grove Baptist Church.

Survivors include the widow, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuller; two daughters, Misses Janita and Judy Fuller; three sisters, Mrs. Thaniel Carr, Mrs. Hazel Bragg and Mrs. Jerome Wambles; three brothers, Malcolm, Eugene and Jessie Fuller.

Funeral services were held Monday at 3 p.m. from Woodland Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. Fred Benton, Jr., and the Rev. Q. P. Jones officiating.

Interment was in the church cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

CEMETERY WORKING

There will be a cemetery working at Antioch Primitive Baptist Church Thursday, June 13. Those interested have been asked to be there early and bring tools.

AS AUBURN IS A LAND-GRAFT COLLEGE, SUPPORTED BY STATE FUNDS IT IS IMPOSSIBLE, EASTER SAID, FOR FORMALIZED RELIGIOUS STUDY AND INSTRUCTIONS TO BE INCLUDED IN REGULAR COURSE THERE, SO THE COLLEGE HAS TURNED TO THE CHURCHES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TO ENTERPRISE, WHERE SHE WILL TEACH IN THE PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

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From Our Early Files

22 YEARS AGO
Young married farmers from various counties over the state have been arriving at the Coffee County training camp south of Elba the past week until there are now approximately 100 there. The work of preparing for the rest of the 300 who are to be stationed there goes on apace and it is only a question of a comparatively short time until all will be in readiness. It is reported that office headquarters are to be located at the camp, probably requiring a personnel of 25 to 40.



The Elba Chamber of Commerce held a fish fry at Dave Hubert's ice plant Thursday evening which was attended by more than 100. A large number of Government and State employees were guests and were found in their praise of the hospitality.

There was an abundance of fish, fried by that master chef, Smith Harper, ably assisted by Gordon Mathis, Dave Hubert et al.

An interesting feature of the Chamber of Commerce fish fry was a heated argument between two brothers-in-law, F. H. Murphree and F. H. Talbot. The subject was the "freedom of choice" in the purchase of Elba and active goodness of Elba and New Brockton, Mr. Murphree opposing the cause of New Brockton and Mr. Talbot declaring to the world the great and multitudinous advantages to be found in the "city of Flowing Wells."

Among other things claimed for New Brockton, Mr. Murphree said his adopted city has the only stop light in Coffee County. By way of parenthesis, he remarked that some of Elba's citizens have been helping to pay for said light by failing

to observe it. Then he said New Brockton has the only whole-sale grocery in the county, sending out 16 rolling stores, each of which does a daily business of approximately \$100. He also mentioned the extensive paving projects in paving projects in course of construction.

Mr. Talbot came back at his brother-in-law with so many Elba assets that he will not attempt to mention them, but he gave many of Mr. Murphree's claims the merry laugh. He did admit, however, that Elba is sadly lacking in stop lights and said he is going to start a movement to get at least one — at the Elba Motor Co. corner which is an exceedingly congested traffic point.

A ponderous asphalt-pouring machine belonging to the Hardaway Construction Co. end of the first Elba-Troy highway paving project at a point near Pea Creek bridge, has started pouring hard-surfacing material on the north-facing material on Johnson. It is said the work will proceed rapidly on the stretch of

road commenced last fall, and also on the short stretch west of the bridge across Beaver Dam Creek and terminating near the ice plant. The pavement at New Brockton will also be completed at this time. The second project, this side of and beyond Big Creek, is progressing satisfactorily and as soon as the three bridges under supervision of W. C. Wright are completed, that additional stretch of highway will be ready for surfacing. With the paving and construction on the Pike County end of the highway, when all are completed, it will leave only 8 miles unpaved between Elba and Troy.

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4-Hers WILL ATTEND CAMP ON GULF COAST

Over 100 Coffee County 4-H members and leaders will camp next week at Quintrat near Panama City. The 4-Hers will go to camp early Thursday morning, June 6, and return Saturday afternoon.

The club members will enjoy swimming, rock games, handicrafts, sports, vesper, demonstrations and movies. Boys and girls from all clubs in the county will attend.

4-Hers planning to attend are: Larry Andres, Cayuga Sue Burnett, Sue Bruce, Lina Cannon, Lydia Carr, Jimmy Cain, Larry Carter, Eddie Coker, Janice Clark, Paul Mack Capps, Dora Faye Allen, Nancy Cotton, Latane Clark, Byron Cotton, Tommy Coker.

Fay Crocker, Helen Cowen, Corinne Cowen, George Clark, Ed Cowen, William Dean, Jerry Dyess, Betty Faye Dyess, Glen Dyess, Sybil Donaldson, Winnie Day, Lois Davis, Jas. M. C. Davis, Elaine Donaldson, Bonnie Donaldson, Lem Elia, David Ellis, Edward Foster, Marion Fuller, Eloise Fleming, Wayne Farris, Lynn Gooden, Ray Helms, J. L. Hutto, Jack Hunter, Jan Herbert, Joseph Herbert, Peggy Holley, Joyce Hutto, Jenny Hatcher, Rudolph Harrison, Jackie Howell.

Joyce Hilliard, Peggy Hudson, Pansy Helms, Douglas Johnson, Annette Jones, J. C. Johnson, Frank Johnston.

Betty Jean Kelley, Johnny Luckier, Fay Lowry, Fay Miller, Peggy McCall, Sunny McDuffie, Gail McIntosh, Tim Moley, Jimmy Moore, Wanda Mouton, Wendell Moore, Sue Maiory, Janice Motley, Sara Neil Matthews, Martha Moody, Diane Mowbray, Leta Mae Nichols, Sylvia Ann Owens, Wayne Purvis, Pamela Pierce, James Russell, Judy Ann Rogers, Billy Joe Richburg, Mildred Russell, Jimmy Russell.

Larry Rhoades, Diane Smith, Lucille Smart, Carolyn Smith, Nyoka Spears, Nina Smith, Nina Sue Smith, Amelia Sessions, Wayne Smith, Jolinda Saunders, Jimmy Smith, Dewey Eugene Sims, John Robert Smith, Judith D. Thorn, Jerry Wicks, Adella Wilson, Ramona Wilson, Jerrie Rison, Dot Wilkerson, Clea Ann Wise.

Jerome Wiley, Perry Wilson, Alice Wilson, Judy Wilson, Andy Wilson, John Wilson, Carroll W. W. Farrel Wyatt, and Teresa Wise.

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Ponderous Alabama Budget Plans For \$350 Million A Year in Expenditures

The State Budget which the legislators are voting will total about \$350 million for the next two years.

Few people other than officials, lawmakers, and lobbyists, ever see the budget, though next to the State Constitution, and the Code, many would rank it the third most important document which is concerned with the operation of the State. From even a casual reading of the Budget, it may be gratifying to their knowledge of the duties and responsibilities of the State Government in their everyday lives, and the way it affects the lives of all citizens of the State.

Consider, for example, the balanced budget recommended by Gov. James E. Folsom, which is now before the legislators, and which they are studying.

As a book it looks something like a telephone directory of a major city. It measures 12 by 8 inches, has 402 pages and weighs more than three pounds.

According to this book of the Budget, 50 cents in every dollar received by the State for its operation comes from State taxes, licenses, fees and charges. Another 26 cents is supplied from Federal funds.

One cent in each dollar comes from the proceeds of borrowing and return of invested funds, and the remaining 17 cents of this State income dollar is derived from other sources.

The Governor's recommended balanced budget proposes that the anticipated \$350 million a year State income which comes under the Budget Act, shall be spent as follows:

In every dollar spent, 17.3 cents shall go for highways and bridges; 11 cent for conservation of natural resources and historic sites; 21 cents for care and treatment of the mentally ill; 14c for the protection of citizens and their property; 27c for general government; 18c for capital outlay; 18c for debt service; 21c for health and sanitation; 14c for correctional institutions; 67c in sharing of revenues with cities and counties; 32c for general public services and the regulation of commerce and industry; 21c for pensions and security; and 33c for education.

A casual reading of the State Budget by the layman usually surprises him because it spells out in concrete detail exactly how much money

is spent in each of these various fields.

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H. Q. Wilson Gets Degree In Medicine

Harold Q. Wilson, Coffee County native, received a Doctor of Medicine degree from the Medical College of the University of Alabama Sunday, June 2, at Denby Stadium in Tuscaloosa.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wilson, of Samson, Route 1, he attended high school at Kinston. He spent four years in the U. S. Navy before entering the University of Alabama where he received his B. S. degree in 1954. He plans to begin his internship at St. Vincent's Hospital in Birmingham.

Two TB Cases In Coffee In April

MONTGOMERY — Reporting of tuberculosis in Alabama showed a downward trend in April, the State Department announced today.

One hundred thirty-eight cases were reported in that month, while the figure for March was 166.

Coffee County reported 2 cases.

Kinston Soldier Finishes Course

F O R T BELVOIR, VA. (AP)—An Army Specialist in the Third Class Eula S. Cotton, whose wife, Vivian, lives on Route 1, Kinston, Ala., recently was graduated from the nine-week equipment maintenance course at The Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Va.

He entered the Army in April 1957 and was last stationed at the Granite City (Ill.) Engineer Depot.

The 24-year-old soldier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cotton, Florala.

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TAKE A BRAND NEW LOOK AT THE BIG C

The big "C" — CARELESSNESS causes most forest fires!

Then... GRASS

Now... GRASS & LEGUMES

NATURE SHOWED US THE WAY

Soil Conservation includes many small measures that will in any way increase the production of the land and even the best to keep on producing satisfactory.

God has lent us the earth for our life. It is a great trust. It belongs as much to those who are to come after as to us, and we have no right by anything we do or neglect, to involve them in any unnecessary penalties, or to deprive them of the benefit which was in our power to bequeath. —RUSKIN

The Wiregrass section of Alabama was honored and complimented last week when a group of engineers from the State of Mississippi came to study complete water disposal systems and parallel terraces. Previously we have had similar groups from Texas and Arkansas visiting us for the same purpose. The group from Texas visited in W. Coffee County on the farm of Hubert Barnes near the Basin Community.

Area 8, composed of the Wiregrass Counties, has taken the lead and has done an outstanding job with this new and better method of controlling water on crop land.

The group visiting from Mississippi included W. L. Heard, Deputy State Conservationist, SCS; H. H. Lester, State Conservation Engineer, SCS, from Jackson, State College where O. V. Clark, Asst. Education Dept., J. C. McWhorter, Ag. Engineering Dept., and J. T. Copeland, Extension Agri. Engineer, from Batesville was M. D. Wilson, Area Engineer, SCS, and from Hattiesburg, P. A. Calhoun, Area Engineer, SCS.

Conducting the group through Area 8 from our own State Office in Auburn was C. N. Kenley, Deputy State Conservationist, and A. Curran, State Conservation Engineer. Other visitors from outside Area 8 were J. S. Pruitt, Area Engineer, Dadeville, W. H. Tucker, Area Conservationist, Exergreen and C. B. Conn, Work Unit Conservationist, Greenville.

Several farms were visited in the Area. Harmon Green, Pike County, told the group, "I know the road diversion at the break of this hill saved my field last Wednesday

Save! BUY BIG SIZES

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SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

BY O. D. FINCHER

Arts Smith at copulator of the Wiregrass Soil Conservation District who lives near the New Hope Community has planted 40 acres of Pannicola Bahia grass this spring.

Smith says that Bahia grass is the best summer pasture that he can plant. The Soil Conservation Service assisted Smith write a conservation farm plan on one of his farms last week. He plans to use this farm for pasture and woodland. He has planned to plant in applying these practices.

One inch of topsoil blown or washed from one acre of ground amounts to approximately 16 tons.

Fred Johnson, a copulator of the Wiregrass Soil Conservation District, has planted 70 acres of Bahia grass on his farm in the Curtis Community. This Bahia grass was planted on row crop land and will be left in grass for 5 years. Then the grass will be turned under and planted back to row crops. This practice will add lots of organic matter to the soil and will increase the yields per acre. This is known to farmers as grass base rotation.

Cooperators of the Wiregrass Soil Conservation District in West Coffee County have planned orders for 993 thousand pine seedlings this spring. If all these seedlings are received by the farmers, this will mean that approximately 1,000 acres will go from row crops to woodland. Most of this land is eroded and unproductive and should be planted to pines.

Soil Conservation includes many small measures that will in any way increase the production of the land and even the best to keep on producing satisfactory.

God has lent us the earth for our life. It is a great trust. It belongs as much to those who are to come after as to us, and we have no right by anything we do or neglect, to involve them in any unnecessary penalties, or to deprive them of the benefit which was in our power to bequeath. —RUSKIN

The Wiregrass section of Alabama was honored and complimented last



Junior Police Almost Prove Too Much For Chief; Needed One Rope For Each

Chief of Police "Bow" Dunaway carried 17 members of his Junior Police force down to the Gulf last Wednesday afternoon for a spend-the-night camping trip. He said they found an ideal spot for making a camp, with campfire and beds on the sand.

Chief Dunaway said everything went along in apple-pie order during the evening and first part of the night. He got the whole group bedded down and supposedly asleep by about 10:30, but after an hour, he awoke to find that all of the boys were gone except two little fellows. Some had gone down the beach and some had gone in the opposite direction. He called the campers and got them to bed again.

Mr. Dunaway said he got the boys back to sleep and dozed off once more, only to discover that his policemen had scattered in all directions. Some of them were so far up and down the beach they were out of shouting distance. He said he made a mistake by not taking 17 strong ropes along as part

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COLUMNS OF OPPORTUNITIES

ENGLISH REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
1 house, one store and filling station, Opp highway, 125-acre farm, Basin community.
2 houses, 1 store bldg., Adkins St.
2-bedroom house, Brantley highway.
3-bedroom house, lot 146x410, Brantley highway.
16 colored houses in Mulberry Heights.

HAIR CUTS 7c. Children under twelve years old 6c.
Phone 9102, Superette Barber Shop.
5-23, 5-30, 5-5, 13.

FOR SALE — 2-bedroom house and lot, Sunset Blvd. contact Willard Marler.
5-30, 6-6, 13 & 20

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
State of Alabama
Coffee County
By virtue of a decree rendered by the Probate Judge of Coffee County on June 4, 1957, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the Court house door in Elba, Ala., Coffee County, within the legal hours of sale on Tuesday, July 2, 1957, the following described real estate for taxes and cost due thereon, for the year 1956, to-wit:

To: Lena B. Wilson Hayes
Beat No. 6
Lots No. 18-22-23-24, Block No. 14 with 4 room residence in Mulberry Heights.
Tax & Cost \$11.13
Printing fee 3.58
Total \$14.71

To: Lennie D. Stephens Beat No. 6
Lots 20, 22-23-24 Block No. 3 in Mulberry Heights, A Sub-division of Elba, Ala.
Tax & Cost \$9.30
Printing fee 3.58
Total \$12.88

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALA., ELBA DIVISION, IN EQUITY.
Done this 4th day of June, 1957.
CLAYTON CLARK
Plaintiff
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Defendant.

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conditioners and all appliances. Easy Pay Tire Store.

EQUIPMENT LEASES
Permanent leases for tractors, interstate freight haul, Good revenue. Send name, address, phone number, experience, and equipment details to: P. O. Box 2288, Birmingham, Ala. 5-30, 6-6, 13, 20.

FOR SALE — Government surplus—largest stock, lowest prices in Alabama. Almost anything under the sun. "C" Adams, Rose Hill, Ala. 5-30, 6-13, 13, & 20.

CLOSEOUT prices on air land described as follows: Start at the SE corner of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 7, Township 5, Range 20, and run West along the quarter section line 630.62 feet to the point of beginning, thence N 84 degrees W 255.72 feet; thence S 84 degrees W 255.72 feet; thence S 84 degrees E along the quarter section line 255.72 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1.5 acres.

And that the court has fixed Sat., the 29 day of June, 1957, at the office of Probate Judge at the Courthouse at Elba, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., as the Court house door in Elba, Ala., for the sale of said land for condemnation. You may appear at said time and place, in person or by counsel, and contest the granting of said petition if you deem it proper.

This the 3 day of June, 1957.
J. O. ENGLISH
Probate Judge
6-6, 6-13, 6-20.

LEGAL
The State of Alabama
Coffee County
vs.
Lester O. Spears, complainant,
vs.
Marguerite H. Spears, Defendant.

Notice is hereby given that the Complainant has filed a Bill of Complaint against you in this Court and you are required to answer and plead to or answer the same by the 1st day of July, 1957, or in thirty days thereafter, a default confession may be rendered against you.

This the 29th day of May, 1957.
Gladys Clark, Register.
May 30 — June 6-13

WAKE UP Summer Appetites
WITH THESE QUALITY FOODS

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Mrs. Robert Cannon and Courtney Vann spent last weekend in Troy with Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Vann to attend the wedding parties honoring Miss Margaret Moseley, bride-elect, Mrs. Cannon served at the reception.

Little Master David Hattaway celebrated his first birthday Sunday, May 26, with a birthday dinner with his many relatives including the Ed Moores from New Orleans.

FOR RENT
Two bedroom apartment Phone 226, Mrs. Robert Polson

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and sympathy shown us in the death of our infant daughter. Your many acts of friendship will be long remembered.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith

ENJOY OUR AIR CONDITIONED COMFORT
Sunday Dinner

... or during business hours, you'll like to relax here. You'll like our tasty food, too.

PADGETT'S RESTAURANT

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SOCIETY - NEWS - SECTION

MRS. J. D. WHITMAN

Society Editor

Family Dinner At Arthur Brunsons Held Sunday

Members of the Arthur Brunson family assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith Sunday, June 2, for a family dinner. Eight children and most of their families attended.

Those present were: Mrs. Zeina Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dorough, Larry and Kaye Dorough of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitley and Brenda Whitley of Mobile; Mr. and Mrs. Cyeth Bragg, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunson, Arthur Clark, Jr., Mickey, Winston and Gregory; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Paula Nant Angelyn, Sheila, Jack, Linda and Norman Johns; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brunson, Madolyn, Jackie and Phillip; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe Brunson, Kent, Pamela, Timothy and Little Fran of Montgomery.

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LOCAL GIRLS ATTEND FHA STATE MEET

Two Future Homemakers from Elba High School are attending the annual convention of the Alabama Association, Future Homemakers of America this week. The convention is being held on the Alabama College campus in Montevallo, June 5-7. The theme of the convention is "Better Homes To-day—A Better World Tomorrow."

Girls who are attending are: Virginia Lee Dorsey, and Fay Spurlin.

They are taking an active part in the convention in many ways including, "I Made It Day" and campaigning for a state officer. Both of these girls are wearing dresses which they have made in the all-day fashion show Friday.

The activities of the local FHA chapter are under the guidance of Miss Ann Nichols, FHA adviser and Homemaker.

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Future Homemakers Elect New Officers

The Elba chapter of the Future Homemakers held election for new officers for 1957-58 at their last club meeting of the school year.

New officers elected are as follows:

President, Virginia Lee Dorsey; Vice-President, Maerine Ennis; Secretary, Helen Plant; Treasurer, Mary Nan Spurlin; Parliamentarian, Judy Pearce; Historian, Mary Coven; Plant, Margaret English; Song leader, Judy Carter; reporter, Dianne Kirkland; photographer, Patsy Sellers.

Teacher, she accompanied the girls to Montevallo.

Virginia Lee Dorsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Casey, will receive the degree of achievement at the convention June 6. She has been working toward the State Homemaker Degree of Achievement throughout the year and has completed the requirements for the degree. State Degree certificates will be awarded to 300 girls at a special program during the convention.

Virginia Lee Dorsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Casey, is seeking the office of State FHA president. This election will be held Thursday morning, June 6th. Each girl at the convention will have a chance to vote for the girl of her choice for the various offices. Virginia Lee is the president of the local FHA chapter for the year 57-58.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul English and sons of Norfolk, Va., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Aline English.

Mr. and Mrs. Add Terry and family of Montgomery spent Wednesday with his sister Mrs. Ida Young and Mrs. W. R. Crook.

Conrad Merrill of Andalusia and John and Fred Harper, Marion Brunson, Foy Blue and Buddy Whitman spent last week at the Harper Cottage at Sunnyside Beach.

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